

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Martin S. Gottesfeld, pro se,
Plaintiff
- against -
Hugh J. Hurwitz, et al.

Civil No.: 18-cv-10836-PGG

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE

Plaintiff Martin S. Gottesfeld (herein "Plaintiff"), acting pro se, hereby moves The Honorable Court for an extension of time in which to file his opposition to the defendants' motion to dismiss, filed on May 16th, 2019 (please see D.E. 51). The current deadline is August 31st, 2019 (please see D.E. 62 at 2).

The plaintiff seeks an additional forty-five (45) days in which to file his opposition to D.E. 51 for the following reasons. As the plaintiff has been preparing his opposition he has encountered limitations in the FCI Terre Haute CMU, specifically the law-library database in the CMU does not contain New York state-court case law, the plaintiff does not have access to the full FCI institutional law library as a result of defendants' designation of him to the CMU, and his lawful communications to gather such information are blocked, endangered, and inordinately delayed, as is plainly visible on the docket of the instant case (please see D.E. 59, mailed from the CMU to The Court on June 10th, 2019, but not received and filed by The Court until July 2nd, 2019, some three weeks later).

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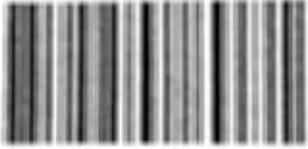
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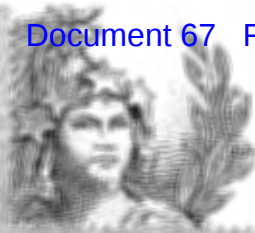
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To Whom It May Concern:

I hope that this letter finds you well.

Please find enclosed for filing in the case of Gottesfeld v. Hurwitz, et al., 18-cv-10836-PGG the following three (3) motions: plaintiff's MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE, plaintiff's MOTION FOR A TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER PROTECTING PLAINTIFF'S RIGHT TO PUBLISH with 1 Exhibit thereto, and plaintiff's MOTION FOR A DECLARATORY JUDGMENT PROTECTING PLAINTIFF'S RIGHT TO PUBLISH with 3 Exhibits thereto.

Each Exhibit is prefaced with a blank white cover page marked, "Exhibit 1," "Exhibit 2," or "Exhibit 3." The body of one exhibit includes pages previously-exhibited in other motions, so there is one page with a pre-existing PACER header from the same case, docket entry 63, page 19 of 26, marked "Exhibit 7." This exhibit marking can be ignored.

May I also ask that the scanned image of the envelope bearing these 3 motions to the court appear in each of the 3 docket entries for those motions for the purpose of the prison-mailbox rule?

Finally, may I please ask the Pro Se Clerk's Office to use the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope to mail me the PACER receipts from these motions? I very much appreciated the docket report that the Pro Se Clerk's Office recently sent to me. While I would happily accept a full docket sheet again, all I am requesting is the PACER receipt(s) from these motions.

With gratitude,



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